## **ASSIGNMENT**

For valuable consideration the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I. James W. Overbeck of Hingham, MA hereby assign to Genetic MicroSystems, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation having a place of business at 34 Commerce Way, Woburn, MA 01801, and its successors and assigns, including its successor Genetic MicroSystems, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation having a place of business at 4G Crosby Drive, Bedford, MA 01730, and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions which are subject of PCT Application PCT/US99/06097, filed on March 19, 1999, entitled: WIDE FIELD OF VIEW AND HIGH SPEED SCANNING MICROSCOPY, and the corresponding continuation US Application Ser. No. 09/665.544, filed on September 19, 2000, now US Patent 6,335,824.

This Assignment includes said applications, any continuation application, any application claiming priority from said applications, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said applications under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes. I authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in my name or in its own name for patents, utility models, design registrations and like rights of exclusion, and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements, and I agree for me and my respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation, to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, preliminary statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this Assignment.

I covenant with said Assignee that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by me and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by me.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Colors MA,
this $\underline{\otimes}$ day of $\underline{\otimes}$ , 2007.
Janes W. Overbeck L.S.
James W. Overbeck
STATE OF:
COUNTY OF Noctolls:
Before me this day of, 2007, personally appeared James W. Overbeck
known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and
acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the purposes therein
contained.
Notary Public Dessica Breen
Trotally Fubility
My Commission Expires: 9/6/2013

